



AN INTERNATIONAL ONLINE SEMINAR

Challenges to Democracy in a Time of Great Changes

Sociology Department, Igor Sikorsky Kyiv Polytechnic Institute
Kyiv, Ukraine

Monday May 31, 2021 (Kyiv Time)

Program

9.15am—9.30noon Opening Session



Moderator

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9.30am – 12.00noon First Session



9.30am – 10.00am

Anatol Lieven

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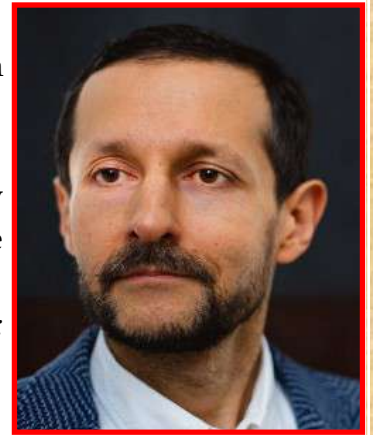
Why Democracies Fail: The Contingent Nature of Political Systems

10.00am – 10.30am

Pavlo Kutuyev

Department of Sociology
National Technical University of Ukraine, Kiev, Ukraine

*Democracy and State Capacity:
How to Build Developmental State in a Democratic Environment*



10.30am – 11.00am

Sanjeev Kumar H.M.

Department of Political Science
University of Delhi, Delhi, India

*The Shrinking Democratic Space in the age of Authoritarian Populism:
The Islamophobic Discourse of Hindu Nationalism and the making of the
Illiberal Public Culture in India*



11.00am – 11.30am

Andrew Yeo

Department of Politics
Catholic University of America, Washington DC, USA

*Nationalist Polarization and Weak Institutional Norms:
Democratic Ceilings in South Korea*



11.30am-12.00noon Discussion

2.00pm—4.30pm Second Session

2.00pm—2.30pm

Bill Bowring
Birkbeck College
University of London, London, UK

*A Tale of Three Anti-democratic Populisms Challenging the EU:
UK (soon to be FUK), Poland and Hungary*



2.30pm—3.00pm

Mikhail Minakov
Kennan Institute
Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington DC, USA

30 Years of Democratization in Ukraine



3.00pm—3.30pm

Tinatin Bochorishvili
Scientific Research Institute
University of Georgia, Tblisi, Georgia

Contemporary Challenges of Democracy in Georgia



3.30pm—4.00pm

Grivas M. Kayange
Department of Philosophy
Chancellor College, University of Malawi, Zomba, Malawi

African Neoliberal Democracy and the Collapse of the Corporation



4.00pm—4.30pm Discussion

4.30pm – 4.45pm Concluding Session



José Casanova

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